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- 1. Restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. 121:
 - I. Claims 1-4,7, and 8, drawn to a composite, classified in class 428, subclass 292.1+.
 - II. Claim 5, drawn to a method of making a composite, classified in class 264, subclass 258.
- 2. The inventions are independent or distinct, each from the other because:
- 3. Inventions group I and group II are related as process of making and product made. The inventions are distinct if either or both of the following can be shown: (1) that the process as claimed can be used to make another and materially different product or (2) that the product as claimed can be made by another and materially different process (MPEP § 806.05(f)). In the instant case the product as claimed can be made by another materially different process such as providing laminating, fixing, heating, cooling, and storing.
- 4. Because these inventions are independent or distinct for the reasons given above and there would be a serious burden on the examiner if restriction is not required because the inventions have acquired a separate status in the art in view of their different classification, restriction for examination purposes as indicated is proper.
- 5. Because these inventions are independent or distinct for the reasons given above and there would be a serious burden on the examiner if restriction is not required because the inventions have acquired a separate status in the art due to their recognized divergent subject matter, restriction for examination purposes as indicated is proper.

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6. A telephone call was made to Dennis Rodger on 10/30/06 to request an oral election to the above restriction requirement, but did not result in an election being made. Mr. Rodger requested a written requirement for restriction.

Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Primary Examiner Edwards at telephone number 571-272-1521.

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